



Minato City Municipal Kindergarten Enrollment Information



Recruitment for children entering Minato City's municipal kindergartens in AY2025 will take place as follows.



Application Period

Mon, Nov 11 - Fri, Nov 22

Electronic Mon, Nov 11 8:30 a.m. - Fri, Nov 22 5:00 p.m.

Post Must reach by Mon, Nov 11 - Fri, Nov 22

In person Kindergarten : Weekdays 2:30 p.m. - 4:30 p.m..
School Affairs Section: Weekdays 8:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Please see the Minato City Website for more details.

Minato City Website



Applications after mass recruitment

Applications after mass recruitment are accepted from 2:30 p.m. on Monday, December 2, at the kindergarten of your choice in order of applications. After contacting the kindergarten by phone, please bring along the admission application form to the kindergarten.

Date of birth

Children with residential addresses in Minato City along with their parents/guardians, and who were born in the date ranges shown below.

Category	Date of birth
3-year-olds	April 2, 2021 to April 1, 2022
4-year-olds	April 2, 2020 to April 1, 2021

*Mass recruitment is not undertaken for five-year-olds. However, applications are accepted at any time depending on the number of four-year-olds advancing to the next grade. For details, please inquire with the respective kindergartens.

*Hommura and Akabane kindergartens are for 4-year-olds and 5-year-olds.
(Two-year kindergartens)

Please also consider two-year kindergartens (Hommura and Akabane)

You can transfer from other kindergartens.

Hommura Kindergarten

Providing personalized care amid an international atmosphere with many foreign children.



Akabane Kindergarten

New grounds will be completed in summer 2026, and from FY2026, it will start three-year childcare.



From application to enrollment



Note

- Those who do not have an address in Minato City at the point of application (for example, those who are planning to relocate to Minato City) cannot apply for kindergarten admission.
- Simultaneous application for other municipal kindergartens, Minato City Shibaura Island Nursery School (License No. 1) is not accepted.

Electronic application



Please see the backside



About Municipal Kindergarten

Kindergarten fees

Kindergarten fees and admission fees are not charged.

Apart from these fees, charges may be incurred for textbooks, PTA membership, school uniform (school attire, school cap, school bag), etc.

For details, please check directly with the kindergarten of your choice.

Disposition of NT

As part of efforts to ensure children can continue international understanding education from elementary school, an NT is dispatched to all 12 municipal kindergartens three times a week (four times a week for Hommura Kindergarten), and opportunities are provided for children to experience English from kindergarten age.

Childcare Support Daycare (Childcare service)

All kindergartens provide Childcare Support Daycare, which is a childcare service for children enrolled at the kindergarten, for the hours after usual school hours (2:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.). From FY2025, the childcare support at Nijinohashi Kindergarten will be extended to end at 17:30. Please refer to Minato City's website for the childcare fees and other details.

Temporary childcare service for summer holidays, etc.

Some kindergartens (Nakanochō Kindergarten in AY2023) provide temporary childcare services in the summer and winter holidays. In FY2025, Nijinohashi Kindergarten will implement temporary care during the spring holidays on a trial basis.

Each municipal kindergarten is engaged in distinctive educational activities that take advantage of their respective facilities and the local environment.

There are many attractions that are unique to municipal kindergartens, such as spacious school yards and collaboration with elementary schools.

Please visit the respective kindergartens or see their websites for details about their initiatives.

School hours

School hours are usually from 9:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m. (There are about two morning sessions in a month.)

School starting and ending times may differ slightly between different kindergartens, so please inquire with the kindergarten.

As there is no school bus, children should be sent to and picked up from school by their parents/guardians in principle.

Lunch

Children are required to bring their own lunchboxes.

Some municipal kindergartens have introduced a delivery lunchbox system (by request). Hommura Kindergarten provides experience-style meals twice a week.



Subsidies

Those who have been certified as needing childcare support, such as children of dual-income households, are eligible to receive up to 11,300 yen of childcare subsidies per month if they use the childcare support daycare services at municipal kindergartens or an unlicensed childcare facility.

Appeal of Minato City kindergarten

Take a look at the facilities and children at play via the 2D code on the right!



Inquiries

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About Municipal Kindergarten



List of Municipal Kindergarten



Take a look at the websites and X of each kindergarten.

Kindergarten Name	Enrollment capacity		Address	Telephone No.
	3-year-olds	4-year-olds		
Akabane	30		2-6-2 Mita (temporary kindergarten building)	Attached to elementary school 03-3452-0246
Shibaura	20	35	4-8-18 Shibaura	Attached to elementary school 03-3452-0574
Takanawa	18	10	2-12-31 Takanawa	03-3447-3356
Shirokanedai	36	20	3-7-1 Shirokanedai	03-3443-5666
Sanko	18	10	3-13-8 Shirokane	03-3444-4233
Konan	40	20	4-3-27 Konan	Attached to elementary school 03-3471-7347
Azabu	20	5	1-5-15 Azabudai	Attached to elementary school 03-3583-1858
Nanzan	18	10	3-8-15 Moto-azabu	Attached to elementary school 03-3408-4785
Hommura	30		3-9-33 Minami-azabu	Attached to elementary school 03-3446-3677
Nakanochō	36	20	9-2-26 Akasaka	Attached to elementary and junior high school 03-3405-7619
Seinan	18	10	4-18-17 Minami-aoyama	03-3402-0758
Nijinohashi	20	10	1-1-5 Daiba	Attached to elementary and junior high school 03-5500-2577

